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INFO AMEMBASSY CAIRO

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TAGS: EMIN, UNCTAD, JO

SUBJECT: UNCTAD COMMODITIES - PHOSPHATE

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1. IN DISCUSSION WITH GENERAL MANAGER AND CHAIRMAN OF BOARD OF JORDANIAN PHOSPHATE COMPANY, MAJALI, EMBOFF LEARNED THAT HE HAD NOT PREVIOUSLY HEARD ABOUT UNCTAD PHOSPHATE PREPARATORY CONSULTATION TO BE HELD DECEMBER. HE WAS MUCH MORE INTERESTED IN SUPPLIER/CONSUMERS CONFERENCE TO BE HELD IN WASHINGTON IN NEAR FUTURE AND ORIGINALLY THOUGH EMBOFF WAS REFERRING TO THAT MEETING. IN ENSURING DISCUSSION, CHAIRMAN SAID THAT FROM EXPERIENCE WITH LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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SIMILAR UN CONFERENCES, HE DID NOT BELIEVE THAT ANYTHING OF SUBSTANCE WOULD BE ACHIEVED AND WOULD BE CONTENT TO LET MOROCCAN DELEGATION REPRESENT JORDANIAN INTERESTS. AT SAME TIME, IT APPEARS THAT NASCENT AFRO-ARAB PRODUCERS UNION HAS EFFECTIVELY FALLEN APART (SEPTTEL).

2. WE PRESUME, BUT HAVE NOT CONFIRMED, FROM CHAIRMAN'S

LACK OF INTEREST AND INFORMATION CONCERNING PHOSPHATE
PREPARATORY CONSULTATION THAT ANY JORDANIAN DELEGATION
ATTENDING WILL BE DRAWN FROM JORDAN'S DIPLOMATIC
MISSION TO GENEVA. SUCH REPRESENTATION WILL ALSO PRESUMABLY
BE WITHOUT INSTRUCTIONS FROM AMMAN SINCE IT HIGHLY UNLIKELY
THAT FOREIGN MINISTRY WOULD ISSUE INSTRUCTIONS WITHOUT
PRIOR CONSULTATION WITH MAJALI, WHO HAS BEEN KEY FIGURE
IN DISCUSSIONS WITH OTHER AFRO-ARAB PHOSPHATE PRODUCERS.

3. EMBOFF TOOK OPPORTUNITY OF MEETING WITH MAJALI TO
PRESENT U.S. POSITION PER PARA 3 REFTEL.

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